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Amendments to the Specification

On page 8, lines 4-19, please replace the existing paragraph with the following substitute paragraph:

FIGURE 2 is a block diagram showing the software modules 40  
5 implementing the document analyzer 12 of FIGURE 1. The document analyzer  
12 includes three modules: storage and retrieval manager 41, text analyzer 42, and  
display and visualization 43. The storage and retrieval manager 41 identifies and  
retrieves documents 44 into the document warehouse 14 (shown in FIGURE 1).  
The documents 44 are retrieved from various sources, including both local and  
10 remote clients and server stores. The text analyzer 42 performs the bulk of the  
text mining processing. The display and visualization 43 complements the  
operations performed by the text analyzer 42 by presenting visual representations  
of the information extracted from the documents 44. The display and  
visualization 43 can also generate a graphical representation which preserves  
15 independent variable relationships, such as described in common-assigned U.S.  
Patent Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, entitled "System And Method  
For Generating A Visualized Data Representation Preserving Independent  
Variable Geometric Relationships," 09/944,475, filed August 31, 2001, pending,  
the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference.

20 On page 11, lines 1-8, please replace the existing paragraph with the following  
substitute paragraph:

Next, clusters are created (block 86) from groups of highly-correlated  
concepts and themes. Individual concepts and themes are categorized based on,  
for example, Euclidean distances calculated between each pair of concepts and  
25 themes and defined within a pre-specified range of variance, such as described in  
common-assigned U.S. Patent Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
entitled "System And Method For Efficiently Generating Cluster Groupings In A  
Multi Dimensional Concept Space," filed August 31, 2001, pending, No.

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6,778,995, issued August 17, 2004, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference.

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